

### EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

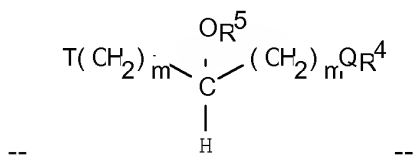
Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Ms. Galina M. Yakovleva on 10-21-08.

The application has been amended as follows:

Claim 10: page 7, the last line, delete "OR<sup>5</sup>"; page 8, the first line, delete

" T(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>m</sub>C-(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>m</sub>QR<sup>4</sup> ";  
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Page 8, the first line, insert the following structure:



### *Allowable Subject Matter*

Pursuant to the judgment rule 640 of the Interference No. 104,798, applicant has cancelled claims they are not entitled to, and amended claims 56, 59 and 60 according to the count.

Claims 1, 2, 7, 8, 17-25, 37-41, 43, 47, 54, 55, 57, 58, 67 and 75 have been cancelled.

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Claims 61-66, 68-74 and 76-80 have never been entered, and thus, are not for consideration.

Claims 3-6, 9-16, 26-36, 42, 44-46, 48-53, 56, 59 and 60 are allowed. Regarding the statement made by Judge Richard Torczon in Paper No. 16, no response by applicants is seen in the file.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to TAMTHOM N. TRUONG whose telephone number is (571)272-0676. The examiner can normally be reached on M, T and Th (9:00-5:30).

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, James O. Wilson can be reached on 571-272-0661. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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